

State of California—Health and Human Services Agency Department of Health Care Services



April 10, 2009

TO:

EXECUTIVE DIRECTORS STATE INDIAN HEALTH CLINICS

SUBJECT: INDIAN HEALTH PROGRAM INFORMATION UPDATE FISCAL YEAR

(FY) 2009-2010

This letter provides an overview of the process to be used by the Indian Health Program (IHP) for continuing financial assistance to grantees for Fiscal Year (FY) 2009-2010 and transmits the Information Update Request (IUR) package.

IHP will amend the existing FY 2008-2009 grants instead of entering into new grant agreements. This will allow grantees to submit an update of corporate information instead of responding to a full Request for Application to maintain eligibility for funding.

Enclosed with this letter is the FY 2009-2010 IUR package and required forms. The completed IUR is due to the IHP by close of business **May 11, 2009**, at the following address:

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Please note that clinic funding awards are determined annually using the IHP clinic allocation formula (Health and Safety Code, Section 124585) (See Exhibit 2 of the IUR). Notification of IHP grantee award amounts for FY 2009-2010 is scheduled for May 4, 2009. Grantees will be notified via FAX and letter. **Note that funding is contingent upon the State Budget Act of 2009.**

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Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact the IHP at (916) 449-5760.

Sincerely,

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Enclosure

cc: Fiscal Officer